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July 13, 2011

Mr. Kamau Philbert Office of General Counsel Federal Election Commission 999 E Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20463

Re: MUR 6394

Dear Mr. Philbert:

I write on behalf of Representative Rochelle M. Pingree, Pingree for Congress and Anne Rand, in her official capacity as Treasurer, Magic Carpet Enterprises LLC, and S. Donald Sussman ("Respondents") to seek an extension of time in which to respond to the Factual and Legal Analysis in the above-referenced matter.

The Factual and Legal Analysis was received on Friday July 8, 2011, and we understand that the response would normally be due on Monday, July 25, 2011. However, Rospondents require more time to review the allegations and relevant legal authorities, including any authorities that have been issued by the Commission since the Respondents' initial response of November 29, 2010. This extension is also necessitated by counsel's schedule and the need to review these issues and prepare a response in the middle of a busy travel period. Accordingly, I respectfully seek an extension until Friday, August 12, 2011.

I appreciate the Commission's consideration of this request. Please advise us as soon as possible regarding the requested extension, and do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 434-1609 if you have any questions. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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Very truly yours,

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